

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A two-phase coating system comprising:
 - at least one catalyst;
 - a liquid phase, comprising one or more polymer binders cross-linkable by polar reaction; and
 - a separate dry sprinkleable powder phase, comprising a solid carrier material and at least a part of the catalyst and/or of a precursor of the catalyst which forms the catalyst in reaction with a co-reactive compound in the liquid phase; wherein the separate dry sprinkleable powder phase is formulated for sprinkling on a coating of the liquid phase, after application of a coating of the liquid phase to a substrate; and
 - the powder phase comprises up to about 8 wt. % of the at least a part of the catalyst and/or of a precursor of the catalyst.
2. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein at least one catalyst includes a Lewis acid or Lewis base.
3. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein the liquid phase comprises a compound which is reactive with a precursor in the powder phase to form a Lewis base or Lewis acid after the liquid phase is exposed to the powder phase.
4. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein the liquid phase is a two-component composition, the first component comprising one or more polyisocyanates and the second component comprising a polythiol, polyol, polyamine or mixtures thereof.

5. (withdrawn) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein the liquid phase is a two-component composition, the first component comprising one or more polyepoxies and the second component comprising one or more polythiols.

6. (withdrawn) The two-phase coating system composition according to claim 1, wherein the liquid phase is a two-component composition, the first component comprising a polyunsaturated binder and at least one electron-withdrawing group linked to a carbon atom of at least one of the unsaturated bonds, the second component comprising a polythiol and/or a compound comprising acidic CH groups.

7. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 3, wherein the powder phase comprises one or more phosphine compounds and in that the liquid phase comprises one or more electron-deficient olefins.

8. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein the powder phase comprises one or more amines.

9. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein the catalyst in the powder phase is a solid material in powder form.

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11. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein the powder comprises the solid carrier material in powder form having one or more of the activating compounds adsorbed to its surface.

12. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 11, wherein the carrier material is sand, diatomaceous earth, zeolite, vitreous beads, barium sulphate, chalk, pigment, or mixtures thereof.

13. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 12, wherein the powder material is titanium dioxide coated with a zirconium compound.

14. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 12, wherein the carrier material comprises a mixture of sand having an average particle size above 200 micrometers and a fine sand having an average particle size below 100 micrometers.

15. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 14, wherein the composition comprises more than about 60 wt. % of sand having an average particle size between 300-800 micrometers, 15-30 wt. % of quartz sand having an average particle size of 20-90 micrometers, and a fine grade quartz sand having an average particle size below 10 micrometers.

16. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 1, wherein the powder phase comprises up to about 8 wt. % of the catalyst.

17. (withdrawn) Method of applying a coating composition comprising in a liquid phase one or more polymer binders cross-linkable by polar reaction and in a separate dry powder phase at least one catalyst wherein after application of one or more layers of the liquid phase on a substrate, the powder phase is sprinkled over the wet liquid phase layer.

18. (withdrawn) Method of applying a coating composition comprising in a liquid phase one or more polymer binders cross-linkable by polar reaction and in a separate dry powder phase at least one precursor of a catalyst which forms the catalyst in reaction with a co-reactive compound in the liquid phase wherein after application of a layer of the liquid phase on a substrate, the powder phase is sprinkled over the wet liquid phase layer.

19. (withdrawn) Method according to claim 17, characterised in that the thickness of the freshly applied layer of liquid phase is less than the particle size of at least a part of the powder phase material, and in that after sprinkling the powder phase over the wet liquid phase layer, a second layer of the liquid phase is applied.

20. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 14, wherein it comprises more than about 60 wt. % of sand having an average particle size between 300-800 micrometers, 15-30 wt. % of quartz sand having an average particle size of 20-90 micrometers, and a fine grade quartz sand having an average particle size below about 3 micrometers.

21. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 16, wherein the powder phase comprises up to about 5 wt. % of the catalyst.

22. (previously presented) The two-phase coating system according to claim 16, wherein the powder phase comprises up to about 3 wt. % of the catalyst.